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Grand Resource Area
885 South Sand Flats Road
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UTU-69906
(UT-068)

OCT 26 1992

Alan Levin
13380 Camino La Cebadilla
Tucson, Arizona 85749

Re: Mining Notice UTU-69906, T29S, R23E (SLM), Section 7: NE1/4 SW1/4, San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Levin:

Thank you for submitting your mining notice in accordance with 43 CFR 3809 regulations. We received this notice on October 13, 1992, and have assigned it serial number UTU-69906. Please refer to this number in all future correspondence with us regarding this mining notice.

Archaeological clearance has been completed for this mining notice, and you may proceed anytime after October 27, 1992, subject to the following stipulations:

1. All 43 CFR 3809 regulations, as well as Utah State Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (UDOGM) Rules R647-1 through R647-5 shall be observed; you have already received a copy of these regulations.
2. On October 14, 1992, both you and Sal Venticinque of my staff delineated the boundaries of the above-referenced area (approximately 3.2 acres), which is located north of the dirt access road; these boundaries are indicated by yellow flagging. However, as a result of a subsequent field examination on October 21, 1992, our area archaeologist found that part of archaeological site 42SA6762 is located within an east-west trending zone in the northern part, as well as a small area in the SW corner of the UTU-69906 area. We have flagged these for avoidance with blue flagging. Operations under this mining notice shall be confined within the boundaries of the remaining area (approximately 2.5 acres in size).
3. All cultural and/or paleontological resources (historic or pre-historic site or object) discovered by the operator/operator's agent in the remaining area (2.5 acres) shall be immediately reported to the Authorized Officer. The operator/operator's agent shall immediately suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the Authorized Officer. An evaluation of the discovery will be made in order to determine appropriate actions needed to prevent loss of significant cultural or scientific values. Any decision as to proper mitigation will be made by the Authorized Officer after consultation with the operator/operator's agent.

All field crews and other people involved with the operation shall be informed by the operator/operator's agent that they are subject to prosecution if caught vandalizing archaeological and/or paleontological sites, or are caught collecting any historic or pre-historic objects or artifacts.

4. Trash, waste, and garbage shall be disposed of at an approved disposal site.
5. Equipment oil shall not be drained onto the ground, but shall be collected and transported in closed containers to an oil recycling center or other approved disposal site.
6. Water needed for operations under this mining notice shall be obtained in accordance with state water laws.
7. Topsoil and vegetation removed shall be stockpiled separately in such a manner that each can be later used for reclamation purposes.
8. Upon completion of operations, the Authorized Officer shall be so notified, and at the earliest feasible time reclamation shall begin. Reclamation shall consist of recontouring disturbed areas to the approximate natural contour, and spreading stockpiled topsoil evenly over such areas. Reseeding shall be accomplished during the period October through March with the following seed mix:

<u>Species</u>	<u>Lbs/Acre</u>
Crested wheatgrass	1
Curlygrass	1
Indian ricegrass	1
Sand dropseed	1
Winterfat	2
Fourwing saltbush	2
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	8 total

If seed is broadcast, double the above rates. Seeds shall be covered with topsoil by using a suitable drag. Finally, stockpiled vegetation shall be spread over reseeded areas in order that wildlife habitat be enhanced.

Should you have questions, please contact Mr. Venticinque at (801) 259-8193.

Sincerely,

/s/ Raymon Carling, Acting

Area Manager

cc: Holland Shepherd, UDOGM

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